(*d*) Yes.

(*e*) Provision is proposed to be made in the Budget of 1122 for starting a Veterinary Hospital at Patticad.

LAW GRADUATES—REVENUE DEPARTMENT

706. Mr. Paramel Ipe Ipe *(Kunnamkulam):* Will Government be pleased to state.—

(*a*) the number of Law Graduates other than Tahsildars in the Revenue Department;
(*b*) who are they and the years of service put in by each of them;
(*c*) the number of years they were working in the Revenue Department;
(*d*) whether they have passed all the Departmental tests;
(*e*) what are the respective posts held by them at present and their present pay;
(*f*) how many of the Tahsildars' vacancies have been filled up during the last 10 years by appointing persons serving in other Departments;
(*g*) who are they and their years of service and their qualifications;
(*h*) how many years service they had, when they were given Tahsildar's posts;
(*i*) whether they had passed all the Revenue tests and undergone survey training at the time of their appointment as Tahsildars?

Rao Sahib A. Madhava Prabhu *(Diwan Peishkar):*

(*a*) 4.

(*b*) Names of persons and the services put in by each of them till 1st Meenam 1121 are given below.

(1) A. Madhava Prabhu, B.A., B. L., 9 years, 5 months, 8 days.
(2) K. Kumara Menon, B.A., LL.B., 14 years, 7 months, 26 days.
(3) T. I. Jacob, B.A., B.L., 14 years, 2 months, 27 days.
(4) K. Krishnankutti Marar, B.A., B.L., 1 year, 9 months, 27 days.

(*c*) (1) 4 years and 5 months.
(2) to (4) Whole of the services given as answer to sub-division (*b*) above.

(*d*) Nos. 1 and 4 do not require Departmental test qualifications.
Nos. 2 and 3 have the requisite Departmental test qualifications.

(*e*) (1) Diwan Peishkar—Rs. 550-750/750.
(2) Special Revenue Officer (Temporary)—Rs. 150-250/150.
(3) Additional Revenue Inspector, Ernakulam (officiating)—Rs. 60-80/64.
(4) Clerk, Diwan Peishkar's Office (officiating)—Rs. 25-40/25.

(*f*) 18.

(*g*) and (*h*) The information is given in the statement, which is placed on the table.

(*i*) Prior to the amendment of the S. O. No. 3, Appendix II in April 1945.

It was enough if the Tahsildars were made to undergo survey training after their appointment as such. Of the persons appointed after the amendment, Nos. 15 and 16 are fully qualified.

X-RAY DEPARTMENT—STEADY CURRENT—SUPPLY OF

707. Mr. P. Mani *(Kanayannur):* Will Government be pleased to state.—

(*a*) is it a fact that patients in the X-ray department are often put to difficulties for want of steady electric current?

Mr. C. J. Mathew *(Secretary to Government):*

(*a*) Yes.

FUEL TRANSPORT—CONTRACT FOR

708. Mr. C. S. Panicker *(Adur):* Will Government be pleased to state.—

(*a*) was there any auctioning this year for cutting 1,000 tons of the fuel from Kodasseri and transporting it to the Chalakkudi Railway Station;
(*b*) who was the person who took it in auction;
(*c*) what was the amount of bidding;
(*d*) did not the party remit the necessary advance;
(*e*) was the work entrusted to the bidder; if not, why;
(*f*) has the work been entrusted to any other person; if so, to whom was it entrusted;
(*g*) what is the amount for which the work is entrusted?

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